MINUTES

INDIANA OPTOMETRY BOARD

FEBRUARY 15, 2011

I. CALL TO ORDER AND ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM

Dr. Morrow called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. in the Indiana Professional Licensing Agency, Indiana Government Center South, 302 West Washington Street, CC-2, Indianapolis, Indiana, and declared a quorum in accordance with Indiana Code § 25-24-1-2.

Board Members Present:

Douglas C. Morrow, O.D., President Natalie Olinger-Stine, O.D., Secretary James Hunter, O.D., Member Carl Golightly, O.D., Member Stephan Van Cleave, O.D., Member

State Officials Present:

Cindy Vaught, Board Director, Professional Licensing Agency Heather Hollcraft, Assistant Board Director, Professional Licensing Agency Liz Brown, Deputy Attorney General, Attorney General's Office

II. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

A motion was made and seconded to adopt the agenda.

OLINGER-STINE/GOLIGHTLY
Motion carried 5-0-0

III. ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES FROM THE DECEMBER 7, 2010 MEETING OF THE BOARD

A motion was made and seconded to adopt the minutes from the December 7, 2010 meeting of the Board.

OLINGER-STINE/HUNTER Motion carried 5-0-0

IV. APPEARANCES

A. CONTINUING EDUCATION

There were no continuing education appearances before the Board.

B. APPLICATION

There were no application appearances before the Board.

C. REINSTATEMENT OF EXPIRED LICENSE

There were no reinstatements of expired license before the Board.

V. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

A. State of Indiana vs. James Phillip Montgomery, O.D.

License No. 18001562A

Administrative Cause No. 2010 IOB 0001

Re: Complaint and Emergency Suspension

Parties and Counsel Present:

Respondent was not present nor represented by counsel David Fleischhacker, Deputy Attorney General for the State of Indiana Sherry Rutledge, Court Reporter

Participating Board Members:

Dr. Morrow, O.D., President (Hearing Officer)

Dr. Olinger-Stine, O.D.

Dr. Van Cleave, O.D.

Dr. Golightly, O.D.

Dr. Hunter, O.D.

Case Summary: Respondents license has been on emergency suspension since February 10, 2010. The State asked the Board to extend the emergency suspension that is already in place until the next meeting of the Board due to criminal charges being filed against Respondent. A hearing in criminal court has been scheduled for March 9, 2011. Respondent agrees with the extension of the emergency suspension. The State brought the agreement to the Board for their approval. The agreement has been signed by both the Respondent and his legal counsel, Brad Hamilton.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to extend the emergency suspension of Dr. Montgomery's optometry license until the next meeting of the Board.

OLINGER-STINE/VAN CLEVE Motion carried 5-0-0



VI. DISCUSSION

There were no discussions by the Board.

VII. CONTINUING EDUCATION

There were no continuing education applications before the Board.

VIII. APPLICATION REVIEW

A. Endorsement Applications

There were no endorsement applications for the Board to review.

B. Examination Applications

There were no examination applications for the Board to review.

C. Faculty Limited License

There were no faculty limited license applications for the Board to review.

D. Professional Corporation Applications

There were no professional corporation applications for the Board to review.

IX. PROBATIONARY REPORT

There were no probationary reports to review.

X. REPORTS

A. Consumer Complaints

Dr. Van Cleve reported there are no consumer complaints at this time.

B. Indiana Optometric Association

Dr. Golightly had nothing to report to the Board at this time. Barbara McNutt with the IOA stated they just finished the February seminar with record attendance. She indicated the next meeting will be the Annual Convention and Continuing Education Seminar at the Hyatt regency in Indianapolis April 29-May 1, 2011. She also spoke of Senate Bill 0103 that would make ephedrine or pseudoephedrine a Schedule III controlled substance.

C. Continuing Education

Since the last meeting, Dr. Hunter has reviewed four (4) hours submitted for optometry credit and approved all four (4) of those hours. Dr. Hunter has reviewed seven (7) hours submitted for legend drug credit and approved all seven (7) of those hours.

XI. OLD/NEW BUSINESS

A. Continuing Competency Committee

Dr. Hunter informed the Board that he is now on ARBO's Continuing Competency Committee. The next ARBO meeting will be held in Salt Lake City, Utah in June 2011. Ms. Vaught told the Board that the ARBO dues have been paid for 2011.

XII. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, and having completed its duties, the meeting of the Indiana Optometry Board adjourned at 11:00 a.m.

Board action: A motion was made and seconded to adjourn the Indiana Optometry Board meeting at 11:00 a.m.

OLINGER-STINE/GOLIGHTLY
Motion carried 5-0-0

Douglas C. Morrow, O.D., President

Natalie Olinger-Stine, O.D., Secretary

Date